

## *Certificate of Completion*

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***CALEB FELLOWES***

has participated in the following education session:

### **Latex Allergy**

Presenter The Nursing CPD Institute

In this session you will:

- Gain an understanding of the cause of latex allergy
- Acquire knowledge regarding signs and symptoms associated with adverse reactions to latex
- Receive information regarding strategies in the workplace to reduce exposure
- Gain an awareness of the incidence and the most common triggers for latex allergy in healthcare organisations

Completed on

**22 April 2019 (duration of 1 hour/s)**

**This equates to 1 CPD Hour/s (Continuing Professional Development)**

#### REFLECTION:

'Latex allergy affects about 1% of the general population, however, amongst healthcare workers, the prevalence is approximately 15%. Latex allergy is the second leading cause of perioperative anaphylaxis after muscle relaxants. Hypersensitivity reactions associated with latex range from localized to potentially fatal anaphylactic reactions.' This session explores the common triggers for latex allergies and recommendations to employ in the healthcare setting.



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